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Akihiko KUBOTA et al. : Confirmation No. 4805  
Serial No. 10/573,568 : Group Art Unit 3746  
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RECIPROCATING COMPRESSOR HAVING : Mail Stop: ACCOUNTING  
A BALANCING MECHANISM : DIVISION REFUND BRANCH

**REQUEST FOR REFUND**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

A one-month Extension of Time was erroneously requested, and paid for on August 1, 2011; such one-month Extension of Time was unnecessary because a one-month Extension of Time had already been requested and paid for on July 25, 2011.

We note that the Response was due on June 30, 2011. As July 31, 2011 was a Sunday, the Response filed on July 25, 2011 and the Notice of Appeal filed on August 1, 2011 were both timely with a single one-month Extension of Time.

Therefore, kindly refund the total amount of \$130.00 to the deposit account of undersigned, no. 23-0975. If there are any questions regarding this matter, please contact Donna Reynolds, Accounting Assistant, at (202) 721-8246.

*The USPTO is hereby authorized to charge any fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16, 1.17, and 1.492, which may be required by this paper to Deposit Account No. 23-0975.*

We appreciate your kind assistance.

Respectfully submitted,

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